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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
(37 CFR 1.136(a))

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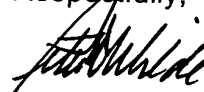
This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Final Office action mailed 10/01/02 with a shortened period for response set to expire 01/01/03.

Applicant is other than a small entity and the fee for an extension of ONE months, with a response period set to expire 02/01/03 (02/03/03), is \$110.

A Request For Continuing Examination (RCE) is enclosed.

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Respectfully,



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